

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Johannes Jacobus MEERMAN et al.

Application No.: 10/500,713

Filed: July 6, 2004



Group Art Unit: 1791

Examiner: J. WOLLSCHLAGER

Docket No.: 119567

For: METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING FILAMENTS FROM AN OPTICALLY ANISOTROPIC  
SPINNING SOLUTION AND AIR GAP SPINNING DEVICE

**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS  
AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision of the  
Primary Examiner dated December 29, 2008.

The \$540.00 Appeal Fee (\$270.00 Small Entity) is:

- ☒ Enclosed (Check No. 219584)
- ☐ Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this  
application with no Board Decision on the merits).

The shortened statutory period having expired March 29, 2009, an extension of three months is  
hereby requested. A Petition for Extension of Time one month was filed on April 29, 2009. Included in the  
attached check is \$980.00 in payment of the fee for a third month extension of time for filing this Notice of  
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